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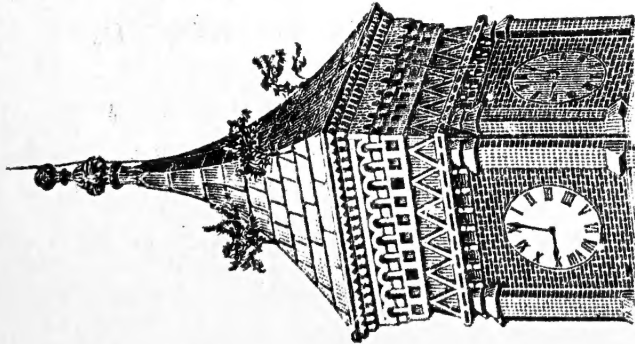
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LONE TREE  
DAHLIA GARDENS  
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# 1945 Price List

## LONE TREE

### DAHLIA GARDENS

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#### GREETINGS TO ALL FLOWER LOVERS:

With the beginning of another season, it gives us great pleasure to send you our modest little 1945 price list. We can again say that we have a limited crop of fine field grown medium sized roots, for your choosing. In these days of tenseness, with our thoughts and prayers on our fighting men, the glorious beauty God has given us in blooming flowers is an inspiration for an uplifting of our spirits.

I wish to thank everyone for their share of past patronage, which I hope have given you much pleasure too, and I again solicit your orders for the coming season.

Yours for better and more flowers and gardens in 1945.

MRS. CORTIS RAY

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#### INFORMATION

When you receive your roots, care should be taken so they will be kept in a place that won't dry them up. The time for planting dahlias and glads is when you plant your garden or corn in your locality. on up to June 15. They should not be planted when ground is cold and wet as there is too much danger of them rotting in the ground. All bulbs are not the same size, but a smaller bulb will grow and bloom just as well as a larger one, just so it has a good eye. All bulbs, large or small, under favorable weather conditions will bloom the first year.

Many other varieties are grown that are not listed, so if you are wanting something special, write about it.

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## GUARANTEE AND TERMS

All stock is State and Federal inspected twice each year and each order carries a copy of same. All stock is guaranteed true to name, bulbs are cut with good eyes and are sent out in good growing condition and will give satisfaction if handled properly by the purchaser.

Orders are for cash and postpaid on anything over \$1.00 in value. Any order under \$1.00 the purchaser must add 10¢ additional to help on postage. No orders will be sent C. O. D. unless one-half of the cash accompanies the order, then the additional C.O.D. expenses and postage also are paid by the customer.

## EARLY ORDERS

Since most all varieties are limited in amount this season, I would suggest that you order early to be more sure of getting what you want. All orders are filled in rotation. When out of a particular variety, I will substitute another as nearly like the one ordered as possible, rather than disappoint you.

Shipment to the Southern States will begin March 10th and thereafter and shipments to the Northern States about April 15 and thereafter until June 15.

## FREE PREMIUM BULBS

For orders sent me up to March 1, 1945 (no collections included) I will allow you to select 20% on every dollar's worth of the amount of your order in extra free bulbs of your own choosing from the list. No cash discounts will be given so select bulbs or stock only. For example, say your order (excluding collections) amounted to \$15.00. Then you would be allowed to select roots or anything from the list to the amount of \$3.00 free roots, extra, up to March 1.

## FLOWER SEEDS—Generous packet, 10¢ each

Dahlia flowered Zinnias, all colors mixed. The new chrysanthemum flowered marigolds, Pink cat tail celosia or coxcomb, very pretty and odd.

## HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUM PLANTS

\$1.00 per dozen, assorted but unlabeled.

These come in many assorted colors, including button mums. The plants will not be ready for shipping until sometime in the latter part of May.

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## **CANNAS—\$1.00 per dozen**

These are the large flowering kinds and make a lovely yard flower bed. Have these mixed or in separate colors of red, yellow and pink.

## **GLADIOLUS COLLECTIONS**

Gladiolus bulbs are much higher and scarcer this year, due to shortage of and higher cost of labor and are very hard to get. All bulbs I offer will be large enough to bloom the first season and will be of the same high quality as used by leading florists.

**Collection No. 1**—35 medium sized bulbs. mixed, for \$2.00.

**Collection No. 2**—50 smaller sized bulbs, mixed, \$2.00.

**Named Gladiolus**—(One dozen of a kind only) Larger sized bulbs—75¢ per dozen. Choose from the following names:

**Red Varieties**—Excellence, Wurtembergia, Red Sunset, Aflame, Achilles.

**Pinks and Lavenders**—Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, Peggy Lou, Maytime, Bremen, Edith Robson, Betty Coed, Viola, Gem, Emil Aubrun.

**Orange and Yellows**—Spirit of St. Louis, Kund-erd's Yellow Wonder, Token, Marina. Nancy Hanks.

## **LARGE DAHLIA COLLECTION**

(Exhibition sized blooms)

**Surprise Collection**—12 for \$2.00. This collection is made up of large flowering double dahlias. Each a different variety and labeled with its true name. The bulbs are cut with good eyes and are good sound tubers, although all tubers are not the same size. However, the size of the root has nothing to do with the size of the flower it produces and will, if it has a good eye, produce just as large flowers from a small root as if it were a large root. The selection is left to me and I can assure you that you will be more than pleased with their bloom. Since this collection would cost you three to four times as much if bought separately no replacements will be made in this collection, but they will all be cut with good eyes and be healthy sound tubers when sent out. Try a collection and be convinced of their bargain and beauty.

## **MINIATURE DAHLIA COLLECTION**

(Medium sized flowers of Pompon and Miniature types)

12 for \$2.00. My selection of truly labeled, mixed miniature and Pompon dahlias the blooms of which are especially suited for house, table and small bouquets.

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## MINIATURE DAHLIAS—Formal and Informal

(Medium sized flowers—for all purposes.)

- \$ .50 Barbara Sue—Lavender pink toned silver
- .50 Bright Lass—Full flowered tiny Amer. Beauty color
- .50 Baby Sagamore—Fine autumn buff, long stem med. formal
- .50 Bishop of Landaff—Lovely fire red velvet dupl.
- .35 Bronze Fairy—Bronzy pink formal decorative
- .50 Coral Beauty—Dainty long stemmed ruffled petal coral
- .50 Fireglow—Bright cerise red cactus type, fine
- .35 Grafyn Malte—Pink decorative tinted yellow
- .35 Giant of Fruitvale—Brown and red collarette
- .50 Gracie O'Neil—The loveliest true pink, informal, good cutter
- .50 Hulin's Cherub—Comb. pink and yellow tones
- .50 Joan—Lovely pink tinted gold
- .50 Landoff Rose—Like a bright red wild rose
- .50 Little Colonel—Fine long stemmed salmon pink cactus type
- .35 Mayme—White tinted violet
- .35 Prince Ferd. of Bulgaria—Red and white striped single, very odd
- .35 Rena Cayex—Bright red cactus
- .35 Royal Prince—Deep yellow tinted orange inf.
- .50 Salmon Girl—Fine salmon pink, inf. flower
- .50 Sylvia—Fine bright red long stemmed beauty
- .35 White Midget—Tiny white formal
- .35 Wine Drop—Deep wine red

## POMPON DAHLIAS

(Perfect little balls, with quilled petals.)

- .35 Ad. Dot—Lilac pink
- .50 Betty Anne—Fine true rose pink
- .35 Catherine—Deep golden yellow, good cutter
- .50 Cora May—Yellow and dusty rose
- .35 Challenge—Red and white variegated
- .50 Dorothy—White variegated yellow
- .50 Doug. Tucker—Yellow overlaid autumn red
- .50 Edith—Tiny yellow overlaid orange
- .50 Fraude Knaube—Good cutting white overcast violet
- .50 Florist Gem—Deep gold overlaid fire red
- .35 Goldilocks—Pure golden yellow
- .50 Gannymeade—Lilac pink over yellow
- .35 Hazel—Autumn buff
- .50 Helen Anita—Silvery pink and white
- .35 Leuchstern—Autumn orange
- .35 Morning Mist—White with lav. eye and tints
- .50 Mildred—Good cutting, violet and white var.
- .50 Mary Munns—Fine fuschia purple
- .35 Mary Alice—Ivory white tinted flesh
- .35 Mickey—Straw tinted violet
- .50 Posey Gem—Fine orangy pink tiny pom
- .50 Paul—Red and white variegated
- .50 Sherry—Deep plum purple
- .35 Taka's Purple—Bluish purple little ball
- .75 Thelma—Wine purple, full and good

**BALL OR SHOW DAHLIAS, Large and Medium size**  
(Round and perfectly quilled)

- .35 Arabella—Tall yellow edged autumn bronze
- .50 Big Ben—Fine deep fire red with yellow tints
- Black Diamond—Deep black red ball
- .35 Bronze Beauty—A dainty little deep yellow tinted brown
- .50 Carl Owen—Bright red
- .35 Cream of the Valley—Light canary yellow
- .50 Color Blend—Fine yellow overcast bronze
- .25 Dreer's Yellow—Pure golden yellow
- .25 F. L. Bassett—A true orchid purple
- .35 Jean Kerr—Pure lily white
- .35 Jas. Vick—Medium size black red
- .50 Mrs. J. P. Smith—Pure light red
- .35 Mrs. C. D. Anderson—Large deep purple
- .50 Mary Helen—Finest large golden yellow cutter
- .50 Olive Pickford—Yellow overlaid bronze
- .50 Orange Glory—A fine true orange color
- .50 Pat Armstrong—Cerise red
- .50 Queen Marie—Pure salmon pink
- .50 Rose Beauty—Dusty rose
- .50 Rose Bud—Fine full white overlaid violet
- .50 Supt. Amrhyn—Lavender pink
- .50 Stradella—American beauty purple
- .50 Tippy—Large yellow ball slightly tinted orchid
- .50 Vivian—Large white overlaid rosy violet
- .50 Yuban—Tan speckled maroon, very odd

**CACTUS TYPE DAHLIAS**

(Narrow fluted, tubular, pointed petals)

- .50 Ballet Girl—A fine orange tipped white
- .75 Beaute—A fine deep gold bloom
- .50 Buckeye Star—Fine salmon pink with yellow center
- .50 Canary Bird—A fine canary yel. overcast pink
- \$1.00 Dulcinea—Bright rosy red, very fine
- \$1.00 Elsie Jane—Fine curly pink, orchid and gold
- .50 F. W. Fellows—A fine true orange color
- .50 Gladys Bates—Large tan tinted pink
- .75 Harry Strutt—Deep oxblood red
- .50 Jersey Dainty—Fine ivory white
- .50 Jussiant—Flesh tinted with white
- .50 Keyston—Deep true purple.
- .75 Mrs. H. O'Connor—Pretty salmon and cream
- .50 Mary Muir—Waxy white
- \$1.00 Mascotte—Deep salmon pink
- .50 Purple Friar—A fine true light purple
- \$1.00 Pluie Dorr—A fine deep golden color
- .75 Springfield—True fine salmon pink
- \$1.00 Showa—A fine cerise red tipped white
- \$1.00 Tyrus—Fine true fuschia purple
- .50 Vondel—Light bronzy orange

**DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Formal and Informal**

(Large flowered, double blossom, large petal flowers)

- .50 Avalon—A fine large deep canary cutter
- .75 Adorable—Large salmon and gold formal, fine



- .75 Arelda Loyd—Large fine curly petaled canary, informal
- .75 Buckeye Bride—Fine cutting salmon pink
- .75 Black Jack—A large black wine color
- \$1.00 Buckeye Glory—Extra large orchid, inf.
- .50 Balligo Surprise—Fine pure white, inf.
- .75 C. G. Reed—Large fine cerise plum inf.
- .50 Charlotte Caldwell—A fine full true orange flower
- .75 Commodore—Immense deep canary yellow
- \$1.00 Chas. Mastick—One of the finest cutters—huge tan tinted gold and pink
- \$1.00 Curly Locks—Very large gold and orange form.
- \$1.00 Carl Dahl—Monster salmon overcast orange
- .75 Cameo—Extra large cameo pink formal
- .50 Chemar's Eureka—Fine white informal
- .50 Clara Barton—Largelike silvery orchid formal
- .50 Cavalcade—Deep old rose and salmon formal
- .50 City of Wellston—Fine cutting true purple formal
- .75 Chamberlain—Fine large buff and pink
- .50 Drifting Cloud—Florists size white tinted lavender—long stems
- .50 Dancing Sultana—Fine orange red informal
- \$1.00 D. W. Morrow—A very fine huge deep red form.
- .50 Defiance—Large good stemmed white tinted flesh formal
- .75 Dad—Large deep red formal
- .35 Elite Peach—Fine deep mauve pink
- .50 Elsie Swoboda—A fine mulberry pink
- \$1.00 Entrups Monarch—Huge, fine cerise red
- \$1.00 Elissi Landi—Very large pink tinted gold form.
- \$1.50 Everybody's Favorite—Extra fine large silvery pink
- .75 Florence Flory—Large fine oxblood red inf.
- .50 Forest Fire—Large deep yellow edged fire red
- .35 Fordhook Bridesmaid—Fine cutting lavender and silver
- .75 Ft. Monmouth—Huge wine purple inf.
- \$1.00 Fireball—Extra large fire red formal
- \$1.00 Greater Glory—An exceptionally fine orchid with white center, huge informal
- \$1.00 Glamour—Huge mauve purple formal
- .75 Hunts Velvet Wonder—Large deep purple form.
- .50 Inkyo—The blackest of good red informals
- .50 Iona—One of those fine variegated cherry and gold formals
- .50 Jersey Beauty—One of the best true rose pinks
- .75 Jas. Kirby—Fine large curly petaled fire red
- .50 Judge Marean—Fine deep gold, red and strawb.
- .75 J. L. Childs—Fine gold and red variegated formal, very odd
- .50 J. M. Moore—Fine large cream and pink inf.
- .50 Jersey Triumph—Fine cutting Indian skin bronze, formal
- .50 Judge McCord—Fine deep gold tint. pink form.
- \$1.00 Jersey Majestic—Huge gold overcast orange, inf.
- \$1.00 Jerome Kern—Large deep old rose, informal
- .50 Josephine G.—Pointed petaled pink tinted yel.
- .75 Jean Hahn—Deep fine gold and orange formal

- .75 J. K. Alexander—Large deep oxblood inf.  
.50 Kentucky—The salmon Jer. Beauty  
\$1.50 Kemp's Monarch—Monster deep yellow and orange formal  
\$1.00 La Riena—A monster, long stem deep autumn bronze  
.50 Larocco—Fine light canary formal flower  
.50 La Gross Bette—Large deep cerise red Ball  
.75 Lucena Hopkins—Fine large cherry red formal  
.75 Mary Baker—Large solid color deep gold  
.50 Marmour—Fine milky white overlaid purple  
.75 Mrs. W. S. Knudsen—Fine large pure white inf.  
\$1.00 Miss Oakland—A very fine newer pure white formal  
.50 Marg. Wilson—Huge white tinted phlox purple  
.50 Miss Parkersburg—Large yellow inf.  
\$1.50 Monarch of East—Monster golden yellow, orange center  
.75 Mrs. Jas. Albin—Fine new light canary formal, good cutter  
.75 Marshalls Matchless—A huge mauve lav. inf.  
.50 Nannie Sine—Large pink and white formal  
.50 New Glory—Large deep red and white var. inf.  
.50 Omar Khayyam—A large deep yellow with orange center  
.50 O'Hair's Beauty—Lovely deep rose pink poppy  
.50 Ohio Glory—Fine mauve inf.  
.35 Paul Revere—Medium sized red formal  
\$1.00 Purple Mist—Huge mauve purple formal  
.50 Pink Sagamore—Fine cutting, gold, red and salmon formal  
\$1.50 Premiers Winsome—Monster light fluffy rose pink  
.50 Pink Elegance—Deep pink inf.  
.50 Pres. Roosevelt—Lt. red tinted with yel. form.  
.75 Robt. Emmett—Huge br. red inf. golden tints  
.75 Royal Salute—Fine large deep red inf.  
.50 Rose of Heaven—Deep cerise rose  
.75 Rockleigh Dictator—Huge bright red inf.  
.75 Royal Robe—Large royal cerise purple inf.  
\$1.00 Rudy Vallee—Huge deep gold and orange inf.  
.35 San. Rose—Silvery rose pink  
\$1.00 Souvenir—Very large light rose pink formal  
.75 Summer Sun—Fine lt. buff and orange formal  
\$1.00 Silver Rose—As named, a lovely silvery deep rose pink formal  
\$1.00 Son of Satan—Monster br. red like claws, inf.  
.35 Star of Bethlehem—Pure white inf.  
\$1.00 Shalimar—Fine large bright red inf.  
.75 Tecumseh—A fine large cerise red formal  
.50 Toreador—The best cutting light curly red  
\$1.00 Tom Workman—Fine large gold tirt. br. orange  
\$1.00 Thos. Edison—Fine large deep purple formal  
.75 Uncle Tom—Fine deep black formal  
\$1.50 Virginia Shipley—A huge deep gold formal  
\$1.00 Volcano—A huge orangy yellow formal  
.50 White King—A very fine large pure wh. formal  
.75 Wm. Hogan—A monster oxblood varieg. white  
.50 W. H. T.—A huge deep old rose, formal  
.75 Yankee Gold—Fine large deep gold formal